Stakeholder Meetings to be Held January 25 and 26 on Proposed Tennessee Solid Waste Rule Changes

The Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation (TDEC) Division of Solid Waste Management (DSWM) will conduct stakeholder meetings to seek input on the proposed rule package made available for review last month. The summary document and draft redline regulations outlining all 14 proposed rule changes to the Solid Waste Processing and Disposal Rules is available at http://www.tn.gov/environment/topic/ppo-waste on our website.

Three separate meetings are planned to allow the discussion to be tailored to different stakeholder groups. All meetings will take place at the same location:

Fort Negley Visitor Center 1100 Fort Negley Blvd. Nashville, TN 37203

Government Representatives:

Wednesday, January 25 – 10 am to 12 pm

General Public and Environmental Interests:

Wednesday, January 25 – 1 pm to 3 pm

Private Disposal Corporations and Associated Facility
Representatives and Consultants and Special Waste Interests:
Thursday, January 26 – 10 am to 12 pm

Please attend the meeting that best reflects your stakeholder group.

These meetings will not replace the formal public hearing as required by the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, T.C.A. § 4-5-204. A formal public hearing will be scheduled following presentation of our proposed rules to the Underground Storage Tanks and Solid Waste Disposal Control Board. These meetings will be informal stakeholder meetings.

During the meeting, there will be a question and answer opportunity for the stakeholder community. If you are unable to attend the meetings, you may submit comments, questions, or concerns to Nick Lytle at the DSWM

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